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Customer No. 25280

Case 5113A

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application of: Kenneth B. Higgins  
Serial Number: 09/910,085  
Filed: 07/20/2001  
For: Cushioned Carpet, Carpet Tile and Method  
  
Group Art Unit: 1771  
Examiner: Juska, Cheryl Ann

**AMENDMENT "E"**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

In response to Final Office Action mailed on February 15, 2006, please enter the Amendments and remarks set forth herein. It is respectfully submitted that all remaining claims stand in condition for allowance. Accordingly, an action to that effect is respectfully requested at this time.